Whereas, from time to time the members of the Missouri House of Representatives are called upon to recognize the meritorious endeavors of outstanding Missourians, a task which this legislative body embraces with great enthusiasm; and

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Whereas, Sallie Hancox of Union, Missouri, will retire from her position as Library Director with Scenic Regional Library on June 30, 2008, following forty-three years of steadfast and admirable service; and

Whereas, Sallie Hancox is an outstanding individual who has faithfully performed her important duties and responsibilities with the utmost professionalism, conscientiousness, and fairness; and

Whereas, Sallie Hancox is known, admired, and respected for her helpful attitude, warm smile, and friendly manner in which she has always greeted people in and around the community, a unique quality that will be greatly missed by her many co-workers; and

Whereas, during her impressive tenure with Scenic Regional Library, Sallie Hancox served as a Young Adult Librarian and an Assistant Director prior to assuming her responsibilities as Library Directory thirty-three years ago; and

Whereas, Sallie Hancox has also enjoyed recognition as the recipient of the Union Distinguished Service Award and as a member and office holder of many organizations, a few of which include the Missouri Library Association, the Union Chamber of Commerce, the Union Development Corporation, PEO, the Union Rotary Club, and St. John's Mercy Foundation; and

**Whereas**, a member of Zion United Church of Christ, Sallie Hancox has been blessed with the love and support of her wonderfully devoted husband, Kirk Hancox:

Now, therefore, be it resolved that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-fourth General Assembly, join in expressing deep gratitude for the superb service that Sallie Hancox has rendered to Scenic Regional Library during the past forty-three years and in wishing her ample opportunity to enjoy the better things life has to offer; and

Be it further resolved that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution for Sallie Hancox.

Offered by
I, Rod Jetton, Speaker of the House of Representatives, Ninety-fourth General Assembly, Second Regular Session, do certify that the above is a true and correct copy of Hous Resolution No. 3387, adopted June 10, 2008.
Rod Jetton, Speaker